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A BILL FOR

An Act providing for the protection and safety of persons in the operation of tractors by requiring such tractors to be equipped with fenders and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 Section 1. It shall be unlawful, after January 1, 1948,
- 2 to sell or distribute tractors within this state which have
- 3 been manufactured or assembled after said date, unless said
- 4 tractors be equipped with and have installed thereon
- 5 fenders.
- 1 Sec. 2. The provisions of this Act shall not apply
- 2 to truck tractors used in connection with motor freight.
- 1 Sec. 3. Any person, firm or corporation, who or which
- 2 after January 1, 1948, sells or distributes tractors within
- 3 this state, in violation of the provisions hereof, shall
- 4 be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction
- 5 thereof shall be subject to a fine not to exceed one
- 6 hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each violation thereof.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 467

The object of this bill is to make farm power implements safer for the farmer by requiring fenders to be a part of the regular equipment when it is sold to the farmer. This bill has been inspired by a tremendous increase in accidents on the farm since the advent of the tractor.